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PENDING CLAIMS

1. (Previously Amended) A template for applying simulated eyebrows to a person's face, the template comprising:

a sheet of material having a shape adapted to be disposed on a portion of a person's face and including an upper edge, a lower edge, a right side edge, and a left side edge;

a cutout portion formed at a substantial midpoint of the lower edge and having a shape adapted to be positioned around a substantial portion of a person's nose;

a right eye hole formed between the right edge and a substantial midpoint of the sheet, the right eye hole being adapted to be positioned over a person's right eye;

a left eye hole formed between the left edge and a substantial midpoint of the sheet, the left eye hole being adapted to be positioned over a person's left eye;

a right eyebrow slot formed above the right eye hole and below the upper edge, the right eyebrow slot having a desired shape of an eyebrow area to be simulated on a person's face;

a left eyebrow slot formed above the left eye hole and below the upper edge, the left eyebrow slot having a desired shape of an eyebrow area to be simulated on a person's face; and

a vertical line extending from the upper edge to the cutout portion at a substantial midpoint of the sheet, and a horizontal line extending from the right eyebrow slot to the left eyebrow slot, the vertical and horizontal lines being adapted to facilitate alignment of the template with respect to a person's face.

- 2. (Canceled).
- 3. (Canceled).
- 4. (Canceled).
- 5. (Previously Presented) The template of claim 1, wherein the right and left eyebrow slots each include inner portion that extends in an upward direction from a position adjacent the

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midpoint toward the right and left edges, and outer portion that extends in a downward direction from the inner portion toward the right and left edges.

- 6. (Original) The template of claim 1, wherein a distance between the upper edge and the lower edge is sized such that the upper edge is adapted to be positioned on a person's forehead above their natural eyebrows, and the lower edge is adapted to be positioned on a person's cheekbones.
- 7. (Original) The template of claim 1, further comprising a fastening element adapted to temporarily secure the sheet around a person's head.
- 8. (Original) The template of claim 7, further comprising a connecting element formed adjacent to each of the right and left edges of the sheet and effective to receive the fastening element.
- 9. (Original) The template of claim 8, wherein the connecting element comprises a hole formed adjacent each of the right and left edges of the sheet.
- 10. (Original) The template of claim 7, wherein the fastening element comprises an elastic band.
- 11. (Original) The template of claim 1, wherein the sheet of material is semi-rigid and is preshaped to conform to a portion of a wearer's face.
- 12. (Original) The template of claim 1, wherein the sheet of material is flexible.
- 13. (Previously Amended) A method of applying simulated eyebrows to a person's face, comprising:

positioning a template on a person's face such that an upper edge of the template is positioned on the person's forehead, a lower edge of the template is positioned on the person's cheekbones, a right edge of the template is positioned on a person's right temple, and a left edge of the template is positioned on a person's left temple, the template further including a right eyehole positioned over the person's right eye, and a left eyehole positioned over a person's left eye;

horizontally aligning a horizontal line formed on the template and extending from a

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left eyebrow slot to a right eyebrow slot with the person's nose, and vertically aligning a vertical line formed on the template and extending from the upper edge to a cut-out portion formed in the lower edge with the person's eyes and ears; and

applying a simulated eyebrow within the right and left eyebrow slots formed in the template above the right and left eyeholes.

- 14. (Canceled).
- 15. (Original) The method of claim 13, wherein the step of applying a simulated eyebrow within right and left eyebrow slots comprises using an eyebrow pencil to draw eyebrows within the right and left eyebrow slots such that the drawn eyebrows have a shape substantially the same as a shape of each of the right and left eyebrow slots.
- 16. (Original) The method of claim 13, wherein the template is positioned on a person's face using a fastening element that is effective to maintain the template in a fixed position relative to the person's face.
- 17. (Original): The method of claim 16, wherein the fastening element comprises a strap.
- 18. (Previously amended): A kit for applying simulated eyebrows, comprising:

a plurality of templates, each template having a size that differs relative to one another, and each template comprising

a sheet of material having a shape adapted to be disposed on a portion of a person's face and including an upper edge, a lower edge, a right side edge, and a left side edge,

a cutout portion formed at a substantial midpoint of the lower edge and having a shape adapted to be positioned around a substantial portion of a person's nose, a right eye hole formed between the right edge and a substantial midpoint of

the sheet, the right eye hole being adapted to be positioned over a person's right eye,

a left eye hole formed between the left edge and a substantial midpoint of the sheet, the left eye hole being adapted to be positioned over a person's left eye,

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a right eyebrow slot formed above the right eye hole and below the upper edge, the right eyebrow slot having a desired shape of an eyebrow area to be simulated on a person's face,

a left eyebrow slot formed above the left eye hole and below the upper edge, the left eyebrow slot having a desired shape of an eyebrow area to be simulated on a person's face,

a horizontal line extending from the left eyebrow slot to the right eyebrow slot for aligning the template with a person's eyes, and

a vertical line extending from the upper edge to the cutout portion formed in the lower edge of the template for aligning the template on a person's nose.

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